Sauna

What the heck is a "pefletti"?

Types of sauna

electric
wood heated
smoke sauna
communal sauna
housing association´s sauna
private sauna (city/cottage)

A phonebooth sauna as seen in Steam of Life documentary film. Credit: Oktober Oy.

Sauna is for relaxing, not competing in tolerating the heat (="löyly")

Simple rules:

Shower yourself before entering the sauna

Choose the bench *(laude)* that suits you. The higher, the hotter.

You need:

a *pefletti*
a sauna whisk (*vasta* or *vihta*)
a soap & shampoo
a brush or a washing mitten
a towel
refreshments

How to take a sauna bath?

sauna zine #1 (2018)

Cool off after sauna.

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Enjoy the afterglow!

Take a break & chill out when your body says so.

Dip in the snow or water if possible.